

## Copper Queen Library News

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April is National Poetry Month, and the Copper Queen Library is planning a month of poetic activities to celebrate poets and poetry, starting with the Balcony Scene. Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from Noon until 12:30, local poets will take turns reading their works from the second floor balcony, broadcasting their words out onto Main Street. The rest of the month is scheduled, as follows.

#### Tuesday, April 2

Poetry Reading by Dawn Michele Baude | 5:30 – 7 PM

#### Tuesday, April 9

Book Reading & Signing by Anthony Schlagel | 5:30 – 7 PM

#### Tuesday, April 16

Poetry Workshop with Logan Phillips | 3:30 – 5 PM Poetry Reading by Logan Phillips | 5:30 – 7 PM

#### Tuesday, April 23

Poetry Reading by Ken Lamberton | 5:30-7 PM

#### Wednesday, April 24

Out Loud and Off the Page | Season 4 Readings from James Coull's FreeWrite Class Central School Project | 5 PM - Reception | 6 PM - Reading

#### Monday, April 29

Poetry Critique Society w/ Ken Lamberton | 5 – 7 PM

#### Tuesday, April 30

Poetry Workshop with Richard Shelton | 3:30 – 5 PM Poetry Reading by Richard Shelton | 5:30 – 7 PM

For more information, or to participate in the Balcony Scene or Workshops, contact Program Coordinator Alison Williams at awilliams@bisbeeaz.gov or 520-432-4232.



# **CQL WINS AWARD** EXCELLENCE IN SERVICE

The Copper Queen Library was awarded the EBSCO Excellence in Rural Library Service Award last month by the Public Library Association of America. The national award, which is co-sponsored by EBSCO Information Services, provides recognition and an honorarium to a public library that demonstrates excellence of service to its community as exemplified by an overall service program or a special program of significant accomplishment.

The Library received the award for its commitment to service and its innovative programs including the Internet Hotspot Lending Program (LiFi), the Seed Library, and the San Jose Annex which offers full library services and a community space in the San Jose Neighborhood.

The award will be presented at the Public Library Association's President's Program at the American Library Association Annual Conference and Exhibition in June in Washington D.C.

### E CREAM SOCIAL HE SAN JOSE ANNEX



WHEN: Friday, May 10 | 12:30 - 2:30 PM WHERE: San Jose Annex | 519 Melody Lane WHO: CQ Library, Cochise County 4-H, Cochise Area Reading Council,

WHAT: Ice Cream Social, Reading Activities, 4-H Farm Animal Display, Books, Family Fun! WHY: Tour the Annex, Sign-Up for the Library's Summer Reading Program, Get a Library Card, & Participate in Fun Projects!



## **COMING THIS MAY**

Beginning in May, readers in Cochise County will be able to use their existing library cards at any public library location countywide. One County, One Card is a joint project of the Cochise County Library District and the seven municipal libraries across Cochise County. The cooperation between libraries gives residents access to more than 200,000 titles and allows them to use multiple libraries. Until now, library users have been required to register for a separate library card at each location they wished to use. This has been inconvenient for patrons while creating unnecessary paperwork for library staff and volunteers.

The libraries have laid the groundwork for One County, One Card over the last two years by adopting a modern online library catalog, allowing for credit card payments, and removing outdated and inactive records from the library system.

The final step is to identify library users with multiple accounts and have them select a "home library" location. When duplicate accounts have been consolidated, the patron database can be set to work across all library locations.

Residents who have a single library card in good standing will not need to take any action in preparation for One County, One Card.

Residents who have library cards at more than one Cochise County library are asked to check in with their local library by May 3. After they confirm their contact information and any existing library accounts, they can choose which library card they would like to continue using. The library they choose will be their "home library," but they will have full access to all twelve libraries and will not need to apply for a new card.

Residents who have lost items or charges at any library location are asked to settle their accounts by May 3 to ensure uninterrupted service.



Need homework help? Tutoring is now available at the San Jose Annex on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 4:00 to 5:30 PM. No appointment is needed, so feel free to drop in for assistance with math, science, English and other subjects! The San Jose Annex is located at 519 Melody Lane in the BUSD's Administrative Building. While you're there, be sure to check out some books or DVDs!

## DAWN-MICHELLE BAUDE POETRY MONTH FEATURES



TUESDAY APRIL 2 5:30 PM

Dawn-Michelle Baude is an international author, educator, and Senior Fulbright Scholar who has published several books and chapbooks of poetry, including *Egypt, The Flying House* and *Finally: A Calendar*. Her poetry has appeared in *New American Writing, Verse, First Intensity, Talisman,* and *Interim,* among other magazines and websites. After spending eighteen years in Europe and the Middle East, she moved to Las Vegas in 2011. She is currently at work on a memoir. Dawn was an interim Director of Cochise Fine Arts, and co-directed the 1981 Bisbee Poetry Festival with Dick Bakken.



Young American dancer Susie Bannion arrives in 1970s Berlin to audition for the world-renowned Helena Markos Dance Co. When she vaults to the role of lead dancer, the woman she replaces breaks down and accuses the company's female directors of witchcraft. Meanwhile, an inquisitive psychotherapist and a member of the troupe uncover dark and sinister secrets as they probe the depths of the studio's hidden underground chambers.

Wednesday, April 10, 2018 Doors: 5 PM | Film: 6 PM Rated R | Runtime: 153 Minutes

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